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1. The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10 at the same hour.

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

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ning of July. 6. Oprrespondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Basings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7. Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent; and the production of his Paus Book are necessary.

For the - Hongkorg & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION. F. DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 1, 1891.

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' X. Y. Z.' Care TRIB OFFICE. Hongkong, March 24, 1891.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSBIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

THE Eighth Ordinary General MEET-ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, Praya Central, on TUESDAY, the 31st March, at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Office, Managers, declaring a Dividend, and elect. ing a Consulting Committee and Auditors. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 15th to 30th Instant. both days inclusive.

RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, March 24, 1891; .

NOTICE.

MONDAY, 30th Instant, being a BANK For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of Will shortly OPEN a BRANCH HOUSE in Houseax, the above Meeting is India, London and China,' Hongkong and show a Large and Varied POSTPONED-till TUESDAY, 31st Inst...

RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, March 24, 1891.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

annum will be allowed to depositors on _ the MILITARY AUTHORITEES that ARTILLERY PRACTION will take place drawal. Depositors must not make cutters' Island in a South-Westerly direcany entries themselves in their Pass- tion on the 24TH, 25TH and 26TH INSTANTS. Books but should send them to be between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

All Shire, Junks and other Vessels are CAUTIONED to keep clear of the Ranges. By Command, W. M. DEANE,

Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, March 19th, 1891

RONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

HONGKONG DERBY, 1892. TIRE WEIGHTS for the above RACE will be weight for inches, not 10st. 10lb, as heretofore.

E. H. GORE-BOOTH. Clerk of the Course Hongkong, March 17, 1891.

9TH PRIZE MEETING.

Business Notices.

OADING and CLEANING SETS, FITTED CASES of PAINTS and REQUIREMENTS. FRONT and BACK SIGHT PROTECTORS, POCKET OLEANERS IN CASES, VERNIERS, VENTOMETERS, BAIGREL BRUSHES, CRIMOPTICS, BARREL REFLECTORS, GUN OIL, CAMERIDGE BAGS, WIMBLEDON SCORING BOOKS, &c., &c.

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Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

Intimations. CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

A MONDAY EVENING a DIAMOND N FRIDAY NEXT, the 27th Instant, CRESCENT BROOCH made of three | that being Good FRIDAY, this OFFICE will be CLOSED to the Transaction of all A liberal REWARD will be Paid for its | Public Business, but Work at the Opium March next, both days inclusive. Hulk and Stations will proceed as usual.

J. McLEAVY BROWN. Commissioner of Customs, for Kowloon and District. Custom House.

Kowloon, 20th March, 1891. WANTED.

SECOND-HAND ENGLISH BILLIARD | STRAITS (late Trust and Loan Company of TABLE. Apply to 'A. B. C., care of China Mail Hongkong, March 10, 1891,

BANK HOLIDAYS.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875. the Undermentioned BANKS 492 will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on FRIDAY, the 27th Instant (GOOD FRIDAY), and on MONDAY, the 30th Instant (EASTER MONDAY).

J. THORBURN. - Manager, Hongkong. For the Chartered Bank of India, Aus-

tralia and China.' T. H. WHITEHEAD. Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-

ing Corporation, F. DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager. For the 'New Oriental Bank Corporation,

> Manager, Hongkong. L. GLENAT, Acting Agent, Hongkong.

NOTICE. THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY LIMITED.

Hongkong, March 23, 1891.

(INIE Fourth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office, No. 9. Praya Central, on TUESDAY, the 31st March. 1891, at 4 p.m. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 23rd to 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order, A. G. GORDON & Co., Lat., West of Sources of the Managers. Hongkong, March 20, 1891.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

Intimations.

LUZON SUGAR REFINING

HONGKONG WITCHES AY MARCH 26, 1801

THE Ninth Ordinary ANNUAL MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Cor my will be held at the Office of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, TO-MORROW, the 26th March, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report from the General "gents with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1890. The Transfer Books of the Company wil be closed from the 16th to the 26th March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hougkong, March 25, 1891. THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TIHE ORDINARY YEARLY MEET. ING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HONORONG HOTEL on THURSDAY, the 26th day of MARCH, 1891, at 2.30 P.M. in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and a Statement of Accounts to the 30th day of September, 1890.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-PANY will be CLOSED from the 18th instant to the 25th Instant, both days inclu-

K. A. STEVENS, Hongkong, March 21, 1891. THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

ATOTICE is hereby given, That an EX-TRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, VICTORIA, in the Colong of Honokono, at 2.45 o'clock P.M., on THURSDAY, the 26th day of MARCH, 1891, for the purpose of considering, and it approved of passing, the following Special

Resolution: That the Capital of The Balmoral Gold "Mining Company, Limited, be in-" creased from \$180,000 to \$225,000 by "the creation of Four Thousand and " Five Hundred New Shares of \$10 each "to be fully paid up. And that such "New Shares be issued upon such "terms and conditions and generally "with such rights and privileges as "shall be resolved upon or directed at "the Meeting, and if no direction be "given as the Directors shall deter-

" mine." By Order of the Board of Directors. K. A. STEVENS.

Hongkong, March 21, 1891. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. NTOTICE is hereby given that the N FOURTH and FINAL CALL of will leave for the above places on or about £10.12.6 Sterling per Share on the 20,000 Shares, NEW ISSUE, of this Corporation will fall due on the 31st March ourrent

in London, Calcutta, Bombay, Shanghai and Hongrong. Registered Shareholders are requested to pay at the respective Offices the above Call or its equivalent in the currency of the above mentioned places, sending at same time the Provisional Certificates to be

The rate of Exchange for the FOURTH CALL is fixed in Hongkong at 3/2 per \$ or \$67.10a per Share. Interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per

annum will be charged on overdue Calls. By Order of the Court of Directors, F, DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager."-

Hongkong, March 24, 1891. THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

THE Bifth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEET ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's OFFICE, No. 9, Queen's Road, on TUESDAY, the 31st March, 1891, at 4 o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to the 30th Sen-The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 30th Instant, both days inclusive. A. O'D. GOURDIN.

A OUTRIE, ROBINSON & Co., Secretary. Hongkong, March 16, 1891. THE PUNJOM AND SUNGRIE DU SAMANTAN MINING COM-, PANY, LIMITED.

> ATOTICE is hereby given that an EX-TRAORDINARY MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the ompany No. 9, Queen's Road, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 31st March, 1891, at 4.15 of the o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering and, if though fit, passing Resolutions to alter the Articles of Association by striking out paragraph 2 of artible 6, and paragraph 5 of Article 13, and to authorize the Directors to increase the Capital of the Compangiby the issue of 60,000 Now Shares of 81 each. Further to authorize the Company to further increase its Capital from time to time to such amount as may be deemed expedient. A Resolution will also be proposed authorising the Directors to abandor or otherwise dispose of the Sunghie Dus

Bamantan property. By Order of the Board, A. O'D. GOURDIN. Scoretary.

Hongkong, March 17, 1891.

NALDBECK MACGREGOR Wine and Spirit Merchants, Ale and Stout Merchants,

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Hongkong, March 19, 1891. FOR SALE.

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Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. TATE Have This DAY OPENED BRANCH of our Firm at HANKOW.

CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, March 19, 1891.

NOTICE. MR. GEO. P. LAMMERT has been IVI authorized to sign Bills or Lading

in our Name.

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, March 23, 1891.

Steamers.

Shipping.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, TAIWANFOO

AND TAKOW. . The Co.'s Steamship Captain HARRIS, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 27th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, March 24, 1691. STEAM-TO KOBE-AND YOKOHAMA.

(Calling at NAGASAKI if sufficient inducement offers.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Captain W. L. Broun.

FRIDAY, the 27th Instant, at Daylight. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, March 20, 1891

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship . Captain Sr. Unorx, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, at Noon (the 27th Instant) instead of as previously advertised. This Steamer has superior First-class Accommodation, specially constructed to

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Hongkong, March 24, 1891. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA (DIRECT.) -The Co.'s Steamship

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Hongkong, March 23, 1891 THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA (DIRECT.)

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FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship W. Allison, Comm'der, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 28th Instant, at

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The Company's Steamer Captain P. H. Lorr, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 26th Inst.

YUEN FAT HONG.

Hongkons, March 25, 1891. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG. COLOMBO AND BOMBAY,

TRIESTE, VENICE & FIUME. - The Core Steamship Melpomenc, LEVANT AND ADRIATIC PORTS.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, March 25, 1891.

The Steamship Capt. J. Lewis, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, at 3 p.m. This Steamer has superior Accommodaion for First-class Passengers.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Co.'s Steamship Hiroshima Maru,

J. H. Pyne, Commander,

will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight, apply to

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co., Hongkong, March 23, 1891 UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY (O

OREGON, VIA KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship Taichiow.

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STEAM TO MANILA (DIRECT.)

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, March 24, 1891.

BRITISH COLUMBIA. FOR VICTORIA, B.U., & PORTLAND,

Captain Unsworth, will be despatched on MON-DAY, the 30th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, March 21, 1891. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA

Capt. J. B. MACMILLAN, will be despatched for the

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co., Agents.

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The Steamship Captain Brooker, will be despatched as above on or about THURSDAY, the 2nd April, For Freight, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

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MADAME PATEY AND HER CONCERT PARTY. GOOD FRIDAY.

Owing to the Postponement of the Tsinan, till Saturday, MADANE PATEY has been requested to a Performance of HANDEL'S 'MESSIAH, on the EVENING of

GOOD FRIDAY, 27th March when she will be assisted by Several LADY and GENTLEMEN AMATEURS who bave kindly volunteered their services.

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Hongkong, March 24, 1891.

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THE HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB.

THE above CLUB will give a PERFORMANCE MONDAY. March 30th,

TUESDAY. March 31st. When will be produced an ORIGINAL COMEDY by JAMES ALBERY, entitled ROSES. TWO

By kind permission of LIEUT.-COLONEL CHATER and the OFFICERS, the BAND of the lat Battn. Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders will perform during the evening. Tickets can be "obtained from Messra.

LANE. CRAWFORD & Co., on aud after Monday. March 23rd, at 11 a.m. PRICE, . . - . \$2 and \$1. Doors open, at 8.30 p.m. Performance to

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To-day's Advertisements.

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TO-MORROW. THURSDAY, 26TH MARCH.

GRAND MILITARY NIGHT. Under the distinguished Patronage and in Presence of H. E. Major-General G. DIGBY BARKER, C.B., Commanding the Forces in China and Hongkong.

MR. GEO. C. MILN Supported by MISS LOUISE JORDAN and Original Company, in THE MERCHANT OF VENICE, Mr. G. C. Miln as Shylock. Miss Louise Jordan as Portia.

SATURDAY, 28th March. RICHARD III. POPULAR PRICES: - \$2 and \$1, Soldiers

and Sailors Balf Price to Pit. Box Plan at Mesara Kelly & Walsh's. Doors open 8.30. Commence 9 prompt.

Hongkong, March 24, 1891.

ZETLAND LODGE. No. 525. Regular MEETING of the above

LODGE will be held in the Fare-MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on WED-NESDAY EVENING, the 1st April, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHEN Eczoma, &c. It is antiseptic, Bland. are cordially INVITED. Hongkong, March 25, 1891.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

-NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE

THE Company's Steamship Moyune, having arrived from the above Ports. Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowss of the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, Limited, Kowloon, whence-delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the OFFICE of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 1st April, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 1st April, at 4 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 1st April will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before

5 p.m. To-DAY. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 25, 1891.

GERMAN BARQUE DOROTHEA,

Captain Möller, FROM HAMBURG.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned General. - C. M. S. N. Co. for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at Breconshire, for Nagasaki, once landed and stored at Consignees risk Nicoya, for Bangkok.

and expense; SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, March 25, 1891.

Business Notices.

HOMOMONIO Queen's TRADING C? LIMP Road.

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OUILTS, DIAPERS,

INDIA LONG CLOTHS. LINEN and COTTON SHEETINGS

Falkenburg, for Saigon.

Namea, for Swatow.

Clara, for Haiphong.

Natal, for Europe.

Zafiro, for Amoy.

Bulgia, for Whampon.

Chousang, for Swatow.

Tarsang, for Whampos.

Lycemoon, for Shanghai.

Tcheran, for Singapore and Bombay.

Noodt and Barre, and 89 Chinese.

London, Mr Amen Bedin.

PASSENGERS.

Per Prometheus, from Liverpool, &c.,

Per Formosa, for Coast Ports, Messrs

Per Moyune, from New York, Mesers

Gheeting, Ralph Curtis (Boston), Percival

Lowell (Boston), and R. E. Pittel; from

Per Kwang Lee, from Shanghai, Mr

DEPARTED

Per Natal, from Hongkong : for Saigon,

Mr and Mrs Coombs, and Mr L. Bourgarel;

for Singapore, Messra Colombo, E. Miller,

and A. M. Issabhoy; for Marseilles, Mr

and Mrs W. Powell, Rev. Langlais, Mr M.

Grote, Hon. C. P. Chater, Meests E. Just,

Lévuardi, W N. Runcie, Mr and Mrs E.

Cope and child, Mr L. Flayelle, Mr and Mrs

J K. Rebbeck, Mr and Mrs Ullmann, and

Mr W. Roberts. From Shanghai : for Mar-

seilles. Mrs Gregson an 1 infant, Mr Guil-

lion, Mr Dangerfield, Miss E. Milli an, Rev.

and Mrs Cardwell, Rev. and Miss R.

Swallow, Mr Hooper, Miss Knight, Miss

Ellis, Mr Hugh Osborne. From Yoko-

hama : for Sargon, Mr Ronget, Miss Marie

Decorne: for Singapore, Messra James

Brown, Stravon and J. Bellani; for Mar-

seilles, Mr Ed. Pereira (Portuguese Vice-

Consul), Mr Vivanti, Mrs Klobukowska,

Mr Louis Samie Mesers L. Lichtenstein,

Attilio Bianchi, Jr. Rotz, Capt. Hachiroda

Sakamolo, Mr Ohara, Kinsaburo, and Mr

Takaongi Toichi. From Haiphong: for

Marseilles. Mr and Mrs Sarran and chil-

drea, Mr and Mr Caslar, Colonel Frey,

Mesers Lucien Guston, Hess, Dobenux, Mr

and Mrs Babin and children. Mr Chaize,

Lieuts Arego and Haillot, and Mr Gochot.

Per Teheran, for Singapore, 473 Chinese.

Per Premetheus, for Amoy, 150 Chinese.

Per Fushun, for Shanghai, 150 Chinese.

Per Delawongse, for Hothow, 2 Chinese

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Prometheus reports

The British steamer Formese reports

To Amoy, fresh gale from N E., and over-

cast with high sea; to Swatow, strong mon-

soon and cloudy, and high sea; to Hong-

kong, moderate light N.E. winds, fine and

clear, smooth sea. On the 21st March

steamer in Taiwanfoo. Woosung, and brig

Else. On the 23rd, steamer in Amoy, Sin

Nanzing, and sailing vessels Venezuela.

Busuto, lizabeth and Reva. and H.M.S.

Ratiler. On the 24th, steamers in Swatow.

Had strong N.E. monsoon from 15. N.

The British steamer Mounts reports:

The B itish gunboat Peacock reports

Poen outside attending upon Nanzing

The Chinese steamer K_{t} cang Lee reports:

Had light to moderate monsoon, with

cloudy weather, and occasional showers,

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

For HOIHOW, SINGAPORE & BANG-

Per Devauonose, at 8.30 a.m., on Thurs-

Per Borneo, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday,

For STRAITS, COLOMBO & BOMBAY.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA

Thursday, the 26th inst.

Per Hiroshima Maru, at 3 30 p.m., on

Per Thibet, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the

Per Formosa, at 2.3 p.m., on Thursday,

Per Fushum, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday,

Per Asagao, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the

Per Haiphong, at 5 p.m., on Thursday,

Per Wingsang, at 11.30 s.m., om Friday,

Per Diamonte at 3.30 p.m., on Friday,

Per Decima, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday,

Per Telemaches, at 11.30 s.m., on Satur-

For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY 18-

LAND. COOKTOWN, TOWNSVIL-

LE. BRISBANE, SYDNEY & MEL

For Tainan, at 2,80 p.m., on Saturday

Per Mike Maru, at 3.30 p.m., on Mon-

Per Donhue, at 9.30 a.m., on Tuesday.

For NACASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAM

Per Melpome e, at 11,30 a.m., on Thurs-

Met San Francisco mail off Swatow.

MAILS will close:-

day, the 26th inst.

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For KOBE & YOKOHAMA.-

the 26th inst.

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the 26th just.

the 27th inst.

the 27th inst.

the 27th inst.

BOURNE. -

For BINGAPORE. -

the 31st inst.

the 28th inst.

viously notified. 😘

day, the 28th inst.

For STRAITS & CALCUTTA.-

For AMOY & SHANGHAL.—

For NAGASAKI.

.. 26th inst.

TAKOW.

For SHANGHAL -

the 26th inst.

KOK —

For AMOY. -

For MANILA. -

Fooksang and Hangchow

Had fr sh monsoon and fine weather.

TO DEPART.

Seymo r, 1 Japanese and 68 Chineso.

Mr Wetherell and child, and 350 Chinese.

DEPARTURES

March 25 :-

SAMPLES AND PRICES ON APPLICATION.

New Premises, opposite Connaught House.

To-day's Advertisements. CATHAY CHAPTER, No. 1165. NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT.

WING to Unavoidable Circumstances the CONVOCATION of Emergency called for To-Mounow Evening (the 26th Inst.), is POSTPONED until a FUTURE DATE, of which every Companion shall receive due and sufficient Notice.

Hongkong, March 25, 1891 OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY

Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Webster, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 27th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, March 25, 1891. STEAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY. (Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Venetia, Captain T. F. CREERY, will leave for the above places on WED-NESDAY, the 1st April, 1891, at Noon.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 25, 1891.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON FIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship.

Captain HANNAH, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 5th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, March 25, 1891. DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA

A jends.

LIMITED. CHEMISTS, de. VINOLIA SOAP

FOR DELICATE SKINS. Contains extra Cream instead of free soda and potash, which eat into and shrivel the skin, hair and nails. It is also dealkalized and dehydrated. For the Toilet, Nursery, Bath, Skin Eruptions, and Shampooing. THE SOAP OF THE AGE. The Chemist and Druggist reports :-

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ed by the Medical Profession. VINOLIA POWDER A soothing, soluble silken rose dusting Powder, free from metals. For Toilet. Nursery, Roughness, Weeping Surfaces,

Vinclia Sosp, Medical, per box... \$0.80. Toilet, per box.....\$1.00. Floral, per tablet. 80.25. ,, per doz. tablets. \$2.50. Vinolia Cream \$0.60, \$1.20, \$2 50. Vinolia Powder .\$0.70, \$1.25, \$3.00.

TRIEPHONE No. 60.

Nos. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

SHIPPING. ARRIVALS: 'March 24, 1891 :- :

Prometheus. British steamer. 1.409. Webster, Liverpool February 8, and Singapore March 18, General. - Burrervield & March 25 :--

Fushum, Chinese steamer, from Wham-

i atwani oo biacco zi , amoy zo, and owaco 24, General. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP Co. Moyune, British steamer, 1,714, John S. Hogg, London and Singspore March 19, General.—ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. D rothea, German barque, 640, B. R.

Moeller, Hamburg October 20, General -For MANILA. Stemssen & Co. Glenmorven, British steamer, 1,812, John G. Wright, London and Singapore March

17, Goneral.—Russell & Co. Swift, British sloop, 758, Capt. Robert For SINGAPORE. D. B. Bruce, Tytam Bay and Mira Bay March 25.

Peacock, British gunboat, 755, Lieut. Kwang Lee; Chinese str., 1,504, R. L. Vessel are hereby requested to send Lincoln, Shanghai March 22, 8 a.m.

> CLEARED. Prometheus, for Amoy. Edendale, for Kutchinotzu. Fushun, for Bhanghai. 616 Descenongee, for Holhow.

MEMOS, FOR TU-MORROW.

9 . nu - Devacong se louves for Il how, &c. 10 a.m. - Melpamene leaves for B'buy. 3 p.m. - Permesa leaves for Manila. 4 p.m. - Hiro hima Marie leaves

Meetings. Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Luzon Sugar Befining Co., Ld. --2.30 and 2.45 p.m. - Meetings of Shareholders of The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ltd., at the Honghoug Hotel. 9 p.m. - Meeting of British Mercantile Marine Officers' Association.

Amusements. 9 p.m .- Performance at the City Hall. Miscellaneous.

9 d.m .- Artillery Practice. Goods per Sachen undelivered after this date subject # rent. Goods per Aglata undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda. FRIDAY, March 275-Local Banks closs. Prize Meeting of the Hongkong Rifle

Association. 9 p.m. - Performance at the City Hall. SATURDAY, Marola 28 :-Local Banks clos. Noon .- Applications of the Societé Franquise des Charllonnages du Tonkin close.

Goods per Melpomene undelivered after this date subject to rent. 9 p.m. - Performance at the City Hall MONDAY, March 30:-Goods per Breconshire undelivered after

this date subject to rent. Goods per Empress of India undelivered after this date subject to rent. 9 p.m. -A. D. C. Performance at City



BY APPOINTMENT. A. S. WATSON & COM-PANY, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841. MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED WATERS

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used in the manufacture throughout. LARGE BOMBAY 'SODAS.' We continue to supply large bottles as heretofore, free of Extra Charge, to those of our Customers who prefer to have

them to the ordinary size. COAST PORT ORDERS whenever practicable, are despatched by first steamer leaving after receipt of order. FOR COAST PORTS, Waters are packed and placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages and Empties when received in Counterfoil Order Books supplied on application.

Our Registered Telegraphic Address is, DISPENSARY, HONGKONG And all signed messages addressed thus will receive prompt attention.

The following is a List of Waters always kept ready in Stock :--PURE AERATED WATER SODA WATER LEMONADE-POTASH WATER

SELTZER WATER LITHIA WATER SARSAPARILLA WATER TONIC WATER GINGER ALE

GINGERADE. No Credit given for bottles that are dirty or greasy, or that appear to have been used from port to port. Met 3 men of war for any other purpose than that of convessels near Ocksen Island on the morning taining Aerated Waters, as such bottles are of the 24th instant, they were steering N.E. | never used again by us.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Lid 2291 Hongkong China, and Manila. The publication of this usus commenced

The China Atlant.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1891

TELEGRAMS SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL' (Via Southern Line.) THE BOAT RACE. LONDON, 23rd March, 1891. Oxford won by a quarter of a length. DISTRESSING SCENE AT THE WRECK OF THE 'UTOPIA.'

the Utopia. (Front Singapore, Papera.) Por Prometheus, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, CONTINUED SEVERE WEATHER IN ENGLAND.

A very distressing scene occurred

Gibraltar on the recovery and identification

remain buried in the snow between Exeter and Plymouth and several others are in the same condition in Cornwall; the passengers have suffered borribly. Severe frosts have now set in all over England. ANGLO-FRENCH ARBITRATION.

on the Newfoundland difficulty has been on the Newiguisdiand difficulty will be Russian, Norwegian, and Swiss jurists, with two Delegates from France and Great Britain. Newfoundland, however, protests against the arbitration.

The Auglo French agreement to arbitrate

THE NEW ORLEANS MURDER. The jary having acquitted the nineteen Italians charged with the murder of the New Orleans chief of police, the mob, which included some of the leading citizens. broke into the prison and lynched seven of the men. The Italian Government have day, the 30th inst., instead of as pre- protested against this outrage to the United States Government at Washington. [With reference to the above it may be noted that the inry were all threatened by anunymous letters with death in case of a application.

jury were for a verdict of guilty, but to cover themselves gave a verdict of guilty, and the talis was made known and was held to justify lynching). The American Press generally justify the lynching of some of the accused concerned

in the murder of the chief of police, declaring that the Jury were suborned to acquit the prisoners. The Italian Press is furious on this subject.

THE CHILI REVOLT. The Government troops have been defeated near Iquique, losing seven hundred mon during the engagement.

BEIZURE OF A BRITISH STEAMER BY-THE PORTUGUESE "London, 17th March.-The Portuguese have seized the British steamer Countess of Carnarcon in the Limpopo river, laden with arms for the South African Company The Times says the seizure is an outrage for which Portugal must account. The Marquis of Salisbury and Sir James Fergusson have replied calmly to the questions relating to this matter.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SUEZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Delta, Feb. 20; Malwa, Maria Teresa, 27; Yungping, March 8; Northern, 6; Achilles, Chingping, 10 ; Bengloe, Carmarthenshire, Electra Glenshiel, Cambodia, Albany, Rach holme, Zanzibar, Khio, 13; Kaisow, Yangtsé, Barden Tower, Sigrmidon, 17; Flintshire, 20.

Honeward Bound :- Palamed, Fob. 13 Ajax. March 3 : Bayern, Pingeney, 10 Ganges, Galley of Lorne, Prium, 13.

The Canadian Pacific s. s. Parthia, from Vancouver left Yokohama for Hongkong via ports on March 13. The M. M. Co.'s s. s Djemuah, with the French mail of Feb. 20, left Saigon on Sunday, the 22nd inst., at 11 a.m. and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, 25th inst. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on January 15.

The Nipport Yusen Kaisha's new steamer Hiroshima Maru, from Loudon and Middlesbro', left Singapore on March 19th, and may be expected here on or about March 25th.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Titan, from Liverpool, left Singapore on March 21 and may be expected here on or about March 27 The Glen Line steamship Glenfruin, from London and Straits, left Singapore on

March 20th, and may be expected here on-or-about March 27. The steamer Japan, with mails &c. from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 22nd March, and may be expected here on or about the 28th March.

The D. D. R. s. s. Oceana left Singapore on

March 22, and may be expected here on or about March 28. The N. G. I. s. s. Bisagno, from Bombay left Sin apore on March 23, and may be expected here on or about Mar. 30. The E. & A. S. B. Co.'s B. B. Airlie left Port Darwin on March 24, and may be expected here on or alout April 2nd.

The P. & O. steamer Lumbardy left Bombay for this port on 18th March. THERE will be a game of Polo at Causeway Bay at 4.30 p.m. on Thursday, the 26th

Hon. C. P. Chater left to day by the Natal for England. He will be absent for a few

E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Airlie, left Port-Darwin for this port yesterday, and gentleman states that the 21d. post to the it is in their power to give, and if you will may be expected to arrive on 2nd April.

that the s. s. Glenfruin, from London and day evening, the 20th inst.

A TELEGRAM WEB received in Hongkong on the 22nd instant, stating that the Liverpool | recently, Japanese barriaters of English Grand National was won by 'Come Away bred by J. Conolly of Rathkeale.

MR E. W. Maitland, Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial Hospital, begs to ac nowledge with thanks the following donations to the Funds of the Hospital :---S. B. Bhabha . \$25 A Parsco

WE understand that Madame Patey has consented to sing, at the sacred concert announced to take place Good Friday, Beethoven's Creation's Hymn' specially arranged for her The deceased was quite a young man. It von Bülow. This magnificent selection was given by Madame Patey an encore last Monday night and was received with immense enthusiasm by the audience. Those who were present on that occasion will, we are sure, avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing the great contralto once more before her departure for Australia.

at the Police Court to-day, with being in of hundreds of bodies from the wreck of possessioned prepared opium without a cer- is to be called the Kwayo Nippo (Hwayang tificate from the opium farmer. Mr Rodyk appeared for the defence. From the evidence for the prosecution it appeared that one tael of opium was found in the first defendant's possession and two taels in the Formosa, British steamer, 674, J. Lewis, For SWATOW, AMOY, TATWANFOO & London, 14th March. Six trains still second defendant's, in a house occupied by seven hundred thousand inhabitants, and The vote was then passed. them in Queen's Road West. The defence was that the men were in the opium trade, and that they were simply trying samples News has been received at Penang of a sharp butice given at last meeting, on behalf of the of the drug. Deserbhoy Rustomice Bills, engagement in Acheen on the 9th instant, proficial members, to lay on the table a who said he imported opium, testified that It appears that the commander of the foot petition in o der that our opinions may be who said he imported opium, testified that Kebopa Doid resolved to clear the jungle recorded in the minutes of the Conneil, in he had known the second defendant for 10 pround his position, and directed an officer accordance with precedent. There also to years and had said quantities if raw opium to proceed overnight and occupy a deserted move that a copy of the petition be for-London 16th March .- The Arbitrators to him. It was the custom to give musters of opium and the drug must be boiled in | was about 1,800 yards beyond the line, The action on further consideration and deorder to be tested. Mr Spooner, Chief Achinese, however, early in the morning, Excise Officer, said the defendants were off the detachment. In order to effect their fined \$100 each in August last for an of- relief, Captain Wicheren, the commander of fence of the same nature. His Worship the position, attacked the enemy and, in the my own protest against the stremps of your found the charge proved and imposed a line then coming up from Kota Rais, a general debate at last meeting of Council, and also of \$500 on each defendant. With the alter engagement enamed, which lasted the whole to protest against the spathynative of mr months' imprisonment. Leach afterwards appeared on behalf of the On the Datch aids Captain Wicheren and defendants and saked for a rehearing, refer- 5 privates were killed, and Lieut. Kessler Mr Ryrie—That the protest be accepted and 10 others wounded. At 9 p. m., the by Your Excellency and forwarded to the troops returned to Kota Raja but, the next Secretary of State. His Worship said he would consider the morning proceeded again to the spot, with

CHAN CHAR Tai, accountant, and Li In

Tak, trader, were charged before Mr Wise,

conviction. The supposition is that the THE Post Office will be closed on Good As the steamer Clan Mackay, of the Clan Friday and Easter Monday except from 8 The Money prder office will be entirely trance of the inner barbour on the north

> Duning the absence of Pastor Hartmann the German service at the Berlin Foundling Class Mackay settled down quickly by the House will be conducted by Pastor R. F. F. Gottschalk. On Good Friday the holy communion will be celebrated.

Ar the meeting of Council this afternoon, Hon. Mr Whitehead was stopped by His Excellency in the middle of a sentence, when seconding Mr Ryrie's motion with reference to the petition of the unofficial members. The interrupted sentence completed would read as follows :- In rising to second the Honorable Member's proposal I desire to express my protest against the attempt made by Your Excellency to shift the ground of debate and against the spathy [and indifference of the Official Members of the Council, not one of whom has taken

part in the discussion on this important

MR G. O. Miln, assisted by his Dramatic Company, gave a repetition of ! Hamlet ' in the Theatre Royal last night to a fairly cell filled house. Mr Miln was received throughout his able impersonation of the melancholy Dane with sincere and wellmerited applause, and was repeatedly called before the curtain. The same honours were bestowed upon Miss Jordan, who was most effective in the mad scene. All the others performed their parts in a praiseworthy manner, more or less; and the performance was in every way a credit to the management. The Company play Merchant of Venice to morrow night, and the performance will be under the tronage of H.E. General Digby Barker and

THE Compagnie Nationale has decided to run a steamer mouthly to Singapore and French Indo-China for cargo and passengers. in addition to the other services under contract with the French Government for naval and military requirements.

the officers of the Garrison,

FROM the Raub balance-sheet just pullished is brought forward to-day and in view it appears that the expenses for the six of the motion coming forward of which months have been £155 in excess of the the hon, member opposite (Mr Whitehead) working receipts during that time. The has given notice. I think it would be expenses, as we have previously stated, are desirable that I should record my vote

THE Paliang correspondent of the Straits His Excellency I only wished to be Times writes .- The Punjom Company's quite sure in case the Clerk might have launch Singum has been lying dry on a been mistaken. sandbank in Pekan for the past ten days. Something is wrong with her machinery. and she is being repaired.

JAVA papers state that the Devonhurst came into collision with the British steamer Strathendrick on the 8th March, just out side the harbour of Surabaya. The Strathendrick was laden with coal for the Borneo Company at that port, and sank within four minutes after the collision. One of her crow was drowned. The Devonleurst reached Surabaya in a damaged condition.

THE Postmaster-General has assured the London correspondent of the Manchester Messes Russell & Co. inform us that the Rammer that there is not the slightest prospect of the scheme of universal penny postage being adopted. The right hon. colonies only just pays itself, exclusive of the mail packet aubaidies, which are somuch loss. Massas Jardine, Matheson & Oc. inform us If the penny colonial post were granted it would not only involve, a considerable present sacrifice, but there would also be the Straits for this port, left Singapore on Fri- certainty of a largely increasing loss as the

bulk of the mails increased. Owing to the unpopularity of English law in high quarters, said the Nichi Nichi Shimbun training are somewhat at a discount. In addition to the resignations which have been already noticed in those columns Mr. Yegi Ohu, of the Gwaimusho, says our contemporary, and eight or nine high rank officers of the Judicial Department are intending to send in their resignations. With a view to make public their numerous grievances, the English school of barristers are about to start a new magazine. An eruption of Bandaisan is imminent, observes the Nichi Nichi.

-Japan Gazette. MR Allen, a passenger on the s. s. Promethets, was injured while the vessel was in place at the meeting, and I think you will Singapore by the accidental explosion of a revolver he was cleaning, and died at the General Hospital after ligering a few hours. is said that he purchased the revolver in Liverpool, and was apparently unaware of the fact that it was loaded. He was packing his things on board yesterday morning preparatory to removing to the steamer bound to Manila, and stopped to clean his revolver, in the course of which process it went off and a bullet entered his side. glanced off a rib, and, it is said, went completely through his body.

JAPANESE intelligence from China is to the effect that the Chinese are growing tired of leaving foreigners to control the unly Chiness newspapers published in China, and that a movement is on foot to start two ournals, under petive ownership and lirection. One of the projected newspapers Chih-pao), and its owner's name is Hitau Gyokuyen (Pih Yu-ynen); the other is to be the Geirin Shimpo (Rin Simpae), its owner being Ko Daichi (Kao Dach). The story does not extend to details as to place of publication, but we gather that Shanghai is contemplated Imagine Tientsin, with its I know. one Chinese newspaper, the Shipao, owned and directed by foreigners.

Achinese post beyond the belt of jungle pro- warded to the Secretary of State. We reposed to be cleared named Kandal, which serve to ourselves the right to take such surrounded their disused post, thus outting encounter which ensued, was killed. Troops Excellency to shift the ground of the Mr day, the result being that the Achinese were driven off with actions, though unstated loss, what result has not yet been fearut

line, was leaving Galle Harbour at 8 p.m. on the 8th instant she struck heavily on to 0 a.m. The night box will be left open, the Bellikatuwa rock which lies at the enaide, and immediately opposite the Mattamade rock on which the s. s. Rotheray recently struck and sank. Each group net, over a mile from the fairway. The atern, until the water covered the deck as far as the bridge. The Clan Mackay, which was bound for London with a cargo of hides and other things from the Madras coastand with what the had shipped at Galle in addition, viz., 200 tons of cargo, besides 100 tons of coal was commanded by Captain John, and was built in January, 1862 by Mesars Bartram, Haswell and Co., of Sunderland, Her registered tonnage is 1,429, with a gross tonnage of just over 2,000. Her horse power is 300, and she is an iron screw steamer, 285 feet in length.

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. A meeting of the Legislative Council was held this afternoon. H. E. Sir G. W. Des Yosur presided, and there were also present : Hon. W. M. Deane, Acting Colonial Secretary; Hon. W. M. Goodman; Attorney General; Hon. S. Brown, Surveyor General Hon. J. H. Stewart-Lockbarty Registrar General; Hon. N. G. Mitchell-Innes, Colonial Treasurer; Hon. P. Byrie, Hon. Ho Kai, Hon. J. J. Keswick, Hon. T. H. Whitehead, and Mr A. M. Thomson, Acting Clerk of Councils. Absent:

Hon, C. P. Chater. THE INCREASE OF TRACKERS SALARIES. On the votes considered at last meeting of the Finance Committee being submitted.

for approval, that for the increase of the salaries of the masters at Victoria College was opposed by the unofficial members. Mr Ryrie said-Your Excellency, the unofficial members opposed this vote in Finance Committee. As we are bringing orward a motion that the Secretary of State withhold his sanction to the increase of salaries recently recommended, it is only consistent that we should oppose this particular vote. I therefore propose that the

vote be not passed, Mr Whitehead seconded. On a division the vote was carried by the official against the unofficial vote. His Excellency said he was not quite sure whether the Hon. Mr Keswick voted

for Mr Ryrie's amendment. Mr Keswick-On the last occasion I voted for the increase, but as the matter with my colleagues on the present occa-

THE SERIOR UNOFFICIAL MEMBER COMPLAINS

AND PROTESTS. With reference to the vote of £85 for defraving the cost of analysing the observations and readings of tides at Hongkong. Mr Ryrie said-Your Excellency, I made request to the Chairman of the Finance Committee at last meeting to let me know whether other Colonies made contributions for this object, and I regret to say that the pformation was of a very slender description. In fact to the question whether other Colonies contributed I got no snawer. I may also say there were other questions to which I found it very difficult to get angwers, and I must protest against this. His Excellency-The Government will

always be glad to give such information as hink for a moment, you will see the would not have been a very easy thing to give the information you desired without communication with other Colonies. Mr Ryrie-Somebody ought to be aware whether the object for which the vote was asked was contributed to by other colonies.

His Excellency—I presume you would have opposed it if you had certain inform-Mr Ryrie-I merely wanted information. It is not that question alone that I refer to. I had to drag out information in other The Acting Colonial Scretary-I can only

say that it is perfectly impossible for any Colonial Secretary to know in this colony what the Government of Singapore is doing in this matter for instance. I am not aware that any information asked for was not granted. Mr Ryrie L beg your pardon; it was no

The Colonial Secretary-There is a record of the discussion that took had there an utter absence of any anch action on my part as you have made re-His Excellency-I am quite sure no inormation the Government has will be withheld. I don't understand the hon member

to charge the Colonial Secretary with any intentional discourtesy tat would be very foreign to his character. I can only say that if the hop. Member asks for any information that we have he will get it. As for this vote I confess I do not quite understand it. It appears by the remarks of the Director of the Observatory that it is purely a scientific matter which requires person to attend to it. He also asserts and his assertion is apparently confirmed from home that the purpose for which this sum of £85 is voted will he a very conaiderable benefit to the shipting of the Colony, and unless his reputation for a scientific attainments has been wrongly enmed-a thing which we cannot conceive for a moment—he, is certainly qualified to speak on the subject. Of course, as it is a charge connected with the tides in our own harbour, I do not see how anybody confd us saked to pay sucept ourselves. Thene really are the whole facts to far as

THE PETITION ACRES THE INCREASED. MILITARY CONTRIBUTION. Mr Ryrie-I beg, in accordance with velopments of the question as may appear Mr Whitshead - Your Excellency, in rising to second this motion. I wish to add

His Excellency-Wait a minute, please must know in the first place what the motion.

His Excellency-That is simply & question for the Chairman and not a matter

petition, I presume ! disrespectful to Her Minjesty's Government would wish to say one or two words in ex-

oublished f in the following terms.

PROTEST OF THE UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS.

Members of the Legislative Council of gulations of supervision are insufficient to justifiable in view of the circumstances I Hongkong, desire to place on record our prevent pirates from getting on board stitutionally authorized or mide.

following among other grounds :-1. That this addition to the Military The Colonial Secretary-In reply to the Contribution was originally demanded on hon, member I have to say that for obthe sole ground that the garrison of the vious reasons we cannot go into all the details ground, and it was on that ground Colony was about to be largely increased. of the supervision exercised. Suffice it to that I invited discussion. It was on that No, other grounds for the increase wers say that all measures are taken with this ground it ought to have been considereven hinted at in the Secretary of State's object which are practically consistent despatch, and he goes so far as to explain with the complete freedom of the port. I how the additional amount demanded had must add that since this picacy certain been arrived at, solely by a comparison of Chinese of bad character have been sent the numbers of the thea existing and of away, in addition to those usually sent by was not, whatever it might be called,

the intended future garrison. 2. That the additional Military Contribution was proposed in this Council, discussed | His Excellency-In explanation and voted solely on the ground that an, what the hon, the Colonial Sccretary increased military force was required for last said I may remind the Council the efficient defence of the Colony, and of the very obvious difficulties which that the amount asked for was reasonable there are in the way of any really in view of the proposed increase.

3. That, however deferentially the Re- the large number of passengers that leave solutions were worded, the additional this port consistent with the continued military contribution was granted by this freedom of the port. In view of these promise that the garrison should be in- exceptional steps were justified in order to creased and upon the condition that the meet this evil. You are aware that the money should not be demanded or paid Governor has powers of deportation. unless there was an increase in the strength | Hitherto these have been almost exclusiveof the Military forces stationed here, and ly exercised with reference to persons con-

in proportion to that increase. despatches, the Officer Administering the Colony by a large class of people who come Government and the Right-Honourabl the here as a safe resort for devising crime to Secretary of State for the Colonies accepted be committed both here and on the the vote as conditional and as based on the continent of China. I have deemed it promise of and dependent on the presence | right to go beyond what has been the usual of a largely increased garrison:

no addition made to the strength of the not actually convicted in this colony. force stationed in Hongkong; no prepara need scarcely say however that only grave tions for such increase; no evidence of any circumstances warrant such a course, real intention ever to grant the increase; and no reason is now assigned for the caution for fear that- the informfailure of Her Majesty's Government to ation necessary to establish a case Leep the promise made to the Colony,

served, the vote fell to the ground, and the from different sources independently report non-payment of the money voted was just | that persons are living in this colony of and proper and to be approved of by this no orionally criminal character in China, Council.

had frankly recognised the right of the that they have no visible means of honest Council to treat the vote of last year as subsistence in this colony, it appears to me inoperative for the reasons above stated that it is not in the present circumstances and had applied to the Council for an ad- any great stretch of the power which is ditional Military Contribution for 1890, on given to the Governor to deport these peogeneral grounds and irrespective of any ple, or what is really repatriating them, as increase in the Garrison, the Un-official | their own country is within a few miles. Members would have given every con- have taken this course in a considerable sideration to the appeal and would have number of cases, and there are a considerimpertially examined the question from the lable number of other cases under investigapoint of view presented by His Excellency | tion. I hear from the police that one effect on the 19th March instant.

the 13th February last demands payment siderable step towards it, and it appears. before the Finance Committee of this effective step that can be taken. Conneil as a re-vote aid that all discussion i was stifled and all time for consideration say a word or two on this matter. Shortly refused on the ground that it was only a after the Namoa affair I happened to be re-vote and that further discussion, if not going to Canton on board the Honam and absolutely forbidden, was a more waste of time: that the re-vote, (carried in the talk with the Captain as to what precautious Financial Committee simply by the casting vote of the Chairman), came before this Council for confirmation on the same foot- captain after dark, and I must say I was ing, and the the Un-official Members are struck very much with the admirable within their right in refusing now to allow | precautions taken on that particular the vote to be supported on grounds other steamer. The ordinary Chinese passengers than those on which it was originally were confined between decks, and gratings

granted. 9. The Un-official Members therefore from the lower to the upper deck, and it protest against this re-vote, forced through seemed to me that if such procustions were Council in opposition to their views and taken on every steamer it would render it to the views and opinions of the vast majorny of the Colonists, and they protest adding the payment of the money to voted think it only right to mention this as and against the action of the Imperial showing what a great deal can be done Government in demanding the mency by the officers and masters of steamer when the promises on the faith of which themselves if due precautions are taken. it was granted have not been fulfilled.

(Sd.) P. Ryria. C. P. CHATER. J. J. Keswick. По Ка**л**. — T. H. WHITEHEAD.

Legislative Council Chambers. Hongkong, 19th March, 1891. His Excellency—It is a perfectly respect ful protest, and there can be no question about its being forwarded.

MR WRITEHEAD ASKS FOR MORE INFORMATION.

at next meeting I propose to ask the follown, and are now, whether lowing questi ns :--

a Land Ada

1. What was the total expenditure of the Hovernment under the bead of salaries for the years 1687, 1888, 1889, and 1890 and what is the estimated total expenditure for the current year under the same years to come at all events. heading on the basis of the increased pay and allowances-recommended by this

Council 7 2. What was the total expenditure on the public works department in the years, 1887, 1888, 1889, and 1890 for salaries and wages, and what is the estimated expenditure under the same heading for the current year on the public works depart ment and water and drainage department

combined? 3. How is it that there has been no meeting of the Public Works Committee appointed in October last?

4. Does the Government intend to give effect to the recommendation of the unofficial members in their addendum of the Public Works Committee details and estimates of all Public Works 1

5. What arrangements have been made to the Treasury for payment, and have any difficulties arisen, since the new system of Audit was introduced, in checking and examining accounts for payment

new organization of that department? -THE NAMOA PIRACY.

nuestion :--cil whether in view of the piracy of the Na. | matter is postponed, because if it had been mod in December last any steps have been proceeded with it would have given us an taken for special Police supervision of opportunity of hearing that which I have

His taxelloney-Not having seen it public interest, and I think the general, marked again there is in my his business-might become mad or be put We, the undersigned; the Un-official any doubt that the ordinary police re- even then I should not consider it entirely

emphatic protest against the Re-vote of vessels in this colony. It may be a the sum of \$123,870.96 originally voted by matter, of interest to the public-I that the Fnance Committee, although a very this Council on the 26th day of March, do not know whether your Excel. convenient means of saving the time of the 1890, as an addition to the Milit ry Con- lency has heard of it—that since the Council, is not a part of the constitution of tr. bution payable by the Colony for the occurrence of the Namoa piracy I have good this colony. The question of votes, as far year 1890, and which, not having been reason to believe that there was imminent as the legality of taking money from the disbursed within the financial year, has danger of another such piracy. Considernecessarily been again submitted to the ing the great number of bad characters in question for this Council and no other, Council before payment can be con-the colony I think it is desirable that we whatever may have occurred in Binance should know if any measures have been Committee. I distinctly haid on two We protest against this Re-vote on the taken to prevent such attempts in the

away after conviction of offences in the co-

effective supervision by Government over upon the faith of an express great difficulties I have felt that some victed of offences before the Courts. In 4. That, as evidenced by the published | viow, however, of the increasing use of this course, and consequently I have lately been 5. That during the year 1890, there was deporting a considerable number of people and it has to be taken with extreme ngainst any particular person might 6. That the promise not having been begiven on the ground of malice. However, kept, the condition not having been ob- when the police and the Registrar Genera

although not convicted here, and when 7. That if Her Majesty's Government that information is supported by the fact

the President in his address to the Council of this has been that a considerable number of others; for fear of deportation. 8. That this very proper and ressonable for a long period have taken their deparcourse has not been adopted; that the Right ture also. I do not k, ow that we can en-Honourable the Secretary of State for the tirely clear ourselves of the criminal class Colonies in his telegram and despatch of of Ohinese, but I think we are taking a conas of money due on the footing of the me that in view of the peculiar circumoriginal vote; that the matter was brought stances of this place it is the only really

> having this matter in my mind I had a long should be taken by the captains of these vessels. I went over the vessel with the were put down over the gangways leading extremely difficult for anything like a repetition of the Namoa affair to occur. T

It is almost impossible to supervise every person going on board, and I understand from inquiries made that some of the companies are very unwilling to examine the reseegers because they are afraid that if they make it unpleasant for them they will go to some other company. It is very dflicult for the Government to make a thorough

supervision of all Chinese passengers. His Excellency—It may be of interest to of the miscreants connected with this pirace have by information received from us Mr Whitehead-I beg to give notice that and from other sources, been hunted or dead, in the possession of Chinese Government. Certainly the Chi nese have taken very exceptional measures on our representations in connection with this matter, and I think probably by other precautions which we are taking return from the actual expenditure, take it such a case will not occur again for some

THE SALARIES QUESTION AND THE

MILITARY CONTRIBUTION. Mr Whitehead-Your Excellency, with reference to the motion of which have given notice I submit that unwhich I have saked for to-day in the questions of which I have given notice hon. members will not be in a position to effectively consider the important question involved in the motion. I would therefore ask your Excellency's permission to let the motion stand over until next meeting of Council when the questions will be

answered. His Excellency—Of course I can only exmotion that the Colony is not in a position to for examining and checking accounts sent information which he now asks for However, although I have pleasure that the hon, member has for the moment withdrawn from what I consider an untanable position and saved those who would be Department and the Treasurer, under the likely to support him from one alan-while in a position which I do not think would add to the weight of any remon-Mr Keswick-I beg to ask the following strance with regard to the position it is taking on this military vote, at the Will the Government inform the Coun. same time I am not without regret that this

for debate. It is a perfectly respectful native passengers embarking on steamers, invited on two separate occasions, namely the present ordinance only required a do- trac. It would take \$80 to finish the the afternoons of Mondays and Thursdays William Young, to hang in the Beand if not, is it the intention of the Gov- a discussion as to whether it was right this claration to be made of, the person re- vehicles, and the plaintiff had already been by the House Surgeon, who is registered as lilios ward, of which Dr. Young was ernment to adopt any measures whatever? colony should pay this vote apart sponsible for a paper in the event of overpaid for the work done. His Excellency-If it is in terms not -With your Excellency's permission, I from any increase of the garrison, a printer or publisher leaving the and if it was right, whether the Colony temporarily or permanently.

before, I think it had better be read. His public, both European and Chinese, are opinion to ground whatever for this so- in gaol. This was provided for by the new wood, and if there was any delay it was Excellency then read the petition which is exceedingly anxious to know whether any called breach of faith. If the Home section of the ordinance which reads ;measures have been adopted by the Govern. Government had taken advantage of that ment likely to prevent the recorrence of such vote got last year and obtained money on a sad sflair. I think there can hardly be that vote, the position of hon, members if have mentioned already, still it would have from being or shall cease to be the netual intelligible. But I must beg leave to say

> colonial chest and santioning it, is simply a occasions that Her Majesty's Government do not ask for the vote in consequence time and passed through all the succ eding of what occurred last year. They come for stages. ward now evidently on a totally different ed. Although I distinctly on two occasions asked the Council to discuss that question they declined to consider it anything but an ordinary revote, which it real-

sonse that you were in any way which are positively stated as facts in this them. motion shows that he has to a certain extent withdrawn-will induce him to withdraw this motion altogether. I will give you my reasons, and I think they are

reasons which the unofficial members will I

are reasons also, which, I think, objects for which the place is opened. He vear ago to substitute a system of yearly hon, members had considered, they would not have opposed the vote in respect of the masters of the school on the particular ground they did oppose it—it | may be a good or bad vote otherwise The Council last year voted what is exactly the same sum as this now asked." rather the unofficial members, gave their assent on the grounds, on the condition, that we were to have an addition to the garrison

ly expressed opinion of last "year; because, supposing this condition had been was only enforced when the gambling was It may be suitable at this point to re- time of admission. fulfilled, supposing these troops had actually come here, with the exception of a question was whether the same discretion asked a year ago as to the destination of very infinitesimal sum, the revenue of the ought to be allowed to the police here. Colony would not have benefited in slightest degree. I think I am the regiment stationed here who house do not pay their houses, and as far as I can see the

only gain to the revenue from this addition'

to the garrison would be the rates on the few

additional houses that might be required for the coolies and others who would be brought to the Colony for supplying the additional men and the very small or fit obtained from their maintenance. There might be no gain at all, and under any circumstances it would be very little indeed. Now, it is only revenue, recollect. on which depends the ability of the Colony to pay the increase, unless your assent was given to the vote on the assumption called together and altowed to debate the distribution of the work among the various the professional eye. At every operation that you were willing if these troops came matter among themselves and give their de- members of it remains substantially as it of any importance one or more European to pay additional taxation. I do not think cision, the Registrar General would find was at the close of 1889. it would be a wise thing on the part of the out their opinion in a better manner. colony to convey this impression that if i The Attorney General—I should like to pay additional taxes. It is quite clear that Chinese would be overawed by the strong a diplomate of the Viceroy's College, chloroformist, has as his sole duty at the if you last year stated that you were will. gambling interests in the Colory, ing to pay £20, 00 a year if the troops came, and if you have not changed your rest of the Bill was postponed. mind, you must, considering that the

troops add next to nothing to the revenue, have then intended that there should be ir creased taxation, seeing that you now say that the Colony is not in a position to pay the increased salaries. There are other reasons, but I only wish to point out that I think it would be an unwise thing of this Conneil to pass a motion of this kind at this particular mom at. It would look like the | Brownie (who from the name I presume result of sudden impulse, -I will not use is Scotch) appears to exceed even the any stronger expression-I think it would traditional obtuseness of his accountry. create a bad impression and lessen very | Not content with hereditary blunt much the weight of such remonstrances as ness he must needs go a step ful you may send to Her Majesty's Government | ther and carefully eliminate all trace of If, after you get these facts which the Hon, lany feeble little jok et that may inad member desires to have and which it would | vertently wander in his direction. be presumed he had when be brought a slandhter of the innocents occurred in his

forward the motion, the hon, member and last Saturday's effusions. Reference was those who support him really think that | made to an extraordinary incident on board the Colony is not in a position to pay this the Mercury's torpedo boat. The facts of money, then it is competent for them to the case were these. A man was washed proceed with the motion; but recollect that overboard and a shark at once washed into it would involve the consentences I have his place. Brownie had it that one man

His Excellency—If the hop member would think over the subject as much as I have done I think he would find that the at £60,000 a year-I do not know what it Mr Whitehead Lord Knutsford in his Before Mr Justice Fielding Clarke, Puisne

despatch states that the amount expended. would be £120,000. His Excellency—It does not follow that they would spend all that here. But let us take the total cost at £120,000. It must the colony. This sum must also include Mr. Hastings (of Mesers Wotton and the cost of the transfer of officers backward | Descon's Office) sppeared for the defenand forward, so that the £120,000 apent by | dant. the Imperial Government must be subject | Lung Chung, carpenter, the plaintiff, to a great deal of reduction to arrive at the said Wong Cheuk Nam engaged him to amount spent in the colony; and then re- make some ominbuses for him? The collect that the expenditure here does not materials were to be provided by him and mean all profit. It is only the profit the price of making the buses was to be on that sum which you have to take, \$50 for each. Plaintiff made five buses. and he must have a very different idea of They were not entirely finished. There ordinary mercantile profit from what I have were no shefts. Some of the wheel spokes who would say that the profit would were not planed. They were taken away amount to anything like £20,000.

does not amount to £20,000." His Excellency-Although? the colony I There was a contract according to which mey benefit to the extent of a part of this the vehicles were to be completed by the amount, it does not affect the revenue. Mr Reria-I think a little extra might | finished in time as the defendant delayed in be obtain d. His Excellency-I think it would be

THE PRINTERS AND PUBLISHED ORDINANCE.

it will be forwarded. Do you wish it to be planation of why I ask this question. The cale my was capable of paying it. I I his did not provide for cases in which the recent case of piracy on board the steamer think it is very unfortunate that there has printer or publisher, although in the colony, Namea of curse excited a great deal of not been that discussion because as I re- might be incapacitated from superintending

> shall have made the aforesaid Declaration shall leave the Colony perinanently or temporarily, or shall, although in the Colony, be imprisoned or otherwise incapacitated printer or publisher for the time being, a Declaration from the actual printer or publisher resident within the Colony shall be

The Bill was read a second time. passed through committee, read third time and finally parsed.

NATURALISATION, A bill for the naturalisation of Lau Sai nling Lau Wai Ch'im was rend a second

THE CAMBLING DILL

The Courcil went into committee on the

The consideration of the proposed clause Mr Ho Kai moved the deletion of section .vastly increased Hospital practice just 3 which states that a place shall be deemed to described. be used as a common gaming house when appreciate as well as the officials. They gambling is one of the main and principal which the Finance Committee's appeal contended that this clause hit at gambling | donation for the more temporary means of of all kinds, whother a bank was kept or not | raising funds up till that time made use of or whether the chances were equal or not, was received, has allowed a more sub-

carried on for a profit. came under the law in England, but the law Colony was the expression.

amount of discretion ought not to be allowwere not the same guarantees.

object gambling.

overawed by officialdom, and said to most hearty thanks. him what they thought would best | Happily no changes among the staff have very nature of that work precludes its being agree with his wishes. If the Chinese were been necessary during the year, so that the His Excellency did not altogether concur in this view. He was afraid many of the

The Council adjourned to Friday week.

CORRESPONDENCE.

A MURDERED JUKE. To the Editor of the ! CHINA MAIL. Hongkong, March 24, 1891. Sir,-The density of Scotchmen in the matter of jokes is widely appreciated, but

was sent floating, and another man washed thenting all the many nationalities found in Mr Ryrie-When the first military con- into his place. Where Brownie' supposed the Colony, though Chinese preponderate, tribution was asked, one of the arguments the other man came from it is difficult to and First come, first served, the motto used by Her Majesty's Government was that conjecture, unless he is under the impres- given us by Mr E. R. Belilios with his the presence of a battalion of troops would sion that the neighbouring seas are peopled generous endowment of \$5000 for the purknow that I hear, not officially but from bring benefit to the Colony, that the tax- by a race of watermen' always ready to chase of medicines, is the rule, a series of sources on which I can rely, that some 30 payers would reap some benefit from the act as substitutes for men suddenly sent numbered bamboo slips handed to the expenditure. The fact that we are in a overboard. In retaliation for the misdeeds patients as they enter securing that no condition to pay these additional salaries of his race the shark was eaten. Let us proference shall be shown to either race or may be correct or it may not, but I think hope that he also was Scotch and conse- religion. Before the consultant for the day it is certain that the Colony would derive a quently indifferent to the cutting up he arrives, all new cases are registered and substantial benefit from the presence of received at the hands of H.M.S. sailors. - provided with prescription papers, that no

Your obedient servant. * OLD BLOW HARD. O. B. H. is too fin(n) cal. - En. C. M.

- Supreme Court IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION Judge.

Wednesday, March 25. LURG CHUNG'R. WONG CHEUK MAM. In this case the plaintiff claimed \$72, the

February 1012. to have iron put on them and they had not Mr Hyrio-The increase of the salaries been brought back. The value of the work remaining to be done was about \$10. 31st January last, but they could not be supplying the wood required,

The evidence for the defence was that plaintil stopped working at them because he was refused so large a payment on ac-

count is he demanded. Acc rding to the

given for the defence. He was satisfied in suitable circumstances arm-to-arm vaccin- pork, vegetables, &c., for the use of the from swidence given by Mr Denison, Ar. atlen is practised. The number of vaccin- patients; to the Rev. A. G. Goldsmith, for chitect, who inspected the work once a stions performed during the year has been a gift of fruit; to the manager of the week, that it was never stopped for want of 167. therefore gave judgment for the defendant with costs. . .

THE ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL. REPORT FOR 1890.

We give below several extracts from Thomson's report of the Alice Memorial Hospital for 1890. The great good work which this is a nation is performing must appeal to the sympathy of overy resident :-

It is an agreeable task to submit a re-

port, whon one is able to record advance at every point along the line during the period covered by the report. Such has been the experience of the Alice Memorial Hospital during the year 1890. In the Out-Patient department the number of attendances has been 17.515, an advance of 2,913 on the numbers for 1889 (14,602), while in the In Patient department the difference is The Attorney General moved that a proportionally twice as great, the return now clause be added defining street to showing 728 admissions as against 530 include any lane, road or thoroughfare during the previous year. 215 operations His Excellency suggested that the words performed under the influence of an anwhether public or private beadded. The esthetic and 167 vaccinations compare Aftorney: General was not perhaps aware favourably with 143 operations and 113 bound by what you had done before. that there were certain theroughfares which vaccinations during 1889; and the num-Now I feel quite sure that the better judge were practically public thoroughfares, open, bers of dental operations and of urgent ment which has caused the Hon, member he believed all night, but which were yet cases of accident brought to the Hospital to withdraw from the position at which he claimed as private property, and it was for treatment have each been more than arrived by impulse—the mere fact of his worthy of serious consideration whether doubled. One list only is a shorter list, wanting information now about matters from law should be passed to deal with and it is satisfactory to report it so; in 1889 we had to record 30 deaths as having occurred in the wards, - in 1890 we thus lost but 22 patients, and that with the

Further, the generous response with and went beyond the intention of the Gov- stantial balance than in any previous year ernment which was to put down gambling to be carried to a new account, to meet the current expenses of the larger work which His Excellency said that the whole Or- has now developed during the interval that Patients remaining in Hospital on am quite willing to believe that they, or dinance was dependent to a great extent on must clause ere a new year's donations this clause, and it would depend on how begin to come to hand. All sections of the it was dealt with whether he would proceed community responded with equal l.berality cases refusing to submit to necessary treat with the bill or let the law remain as it is. and enthusiasm; and all interested in the of one regiment. They expressed their The section would, he was afraid, hit whist success of the institution have taken fresh leave as many do, for the celebration of willingness to add that £20,000 a year if clubs, but the question was whether hope and courage to press forward yet the frequently-recurring Chines: Festivals, that condition was fulfilled. Now they they should not run the risk of this more vigorously from the manifest con- &c.] would by the motion before the Council, in order to have the means of sup- fidence in the work itself and the workers, practically stultify themselves. They pressing the most objectionable cases of of which that generous openhandedness at would entirely alter their deliberate gambling. Whist clubs, he believed, a time of great monetary depression in the per cent of the admissions, and fully a third

of a notoriously bad character. The mark, in reply to a question occasionally funds thus placed at our disposal, that Mr Ho Kai contended that the same every cent goes to the actual working expenses of the Hospital itself. The London ight in saying that the officers ed here. In England injustice was speedi- Missionary Society independently provides operations be included, the total is 336. ly exposed and the force of public opinion for the superintendence and for all evangeprevented undue rigour in the admini- listic effort in connection with the work, of a very large number of minor surgical stration of the law. In Hougkong there | while the professional skill of the large medical and anraical staff, involving a very catheterization, reduction of simple dislo-The Registrar General said a great deal large expenditure of time amid days otherhad been talked about Chineso Clubs. wise probably busier than the days of most He know from enquiries that all, with residents in the Colony, is given to the probably one exception, had for their main | work perfectly gratuitously. To the various members of the Staff, to Mr E. W. Maitland Mr He Kai stoutly denied this, for his administration of the Hospital He said the people whom the Re- Finances and to Mr Gershom Stewart, gistrar. General consulted privately were suditor. I offer my own and my Society's fully to the public sympathy than the work

, THE NATIVE STAFF.

The discussion of the section and of the tinue to occupy their very responsible posts under the influence of the anæsthetic; and to the complete satisfaction of all who have | each student has his post, one in charge of to do with them. Dr Chung has the direct instruments, a second of sponges, a third of supervision of the whole Hospital and all dressings, &c. All being prepared; the its internal affairs, while Mrs Kwan has patient is brought in, and earefully apasgeneral charge of the female ward, of the thetized. At the word 'ready' from the female division of the Out-Patient depart- house surgeon, the operation proceeds. ment, and of the Hospital wardrobe, bed- rapidly, yet quietly and deliberately; and ding material, &c. Both speak English then at its close four stout coolies step forfluently, and also more than one dialect of ward with a stretcher, and the patient is Eight students of the College of Medicine | a word, the Alice Memorial Hospital pro-

for Chinese are at the present time up- | vides for the poorest and most wretched prenticed to the Hospital, the apprentice- sufferer in the Colony the same surgical ship in each case being for a period of four skill, and that under most advantageous years; running parallel with the College circumstances for its success, that is availculriculum of study. They live in the able for the wealthiest resident. Hospital, and among them share the dress sing, clerking, dispensing, minor duties at operations. &c., each holding every minor post in the Hospital in rotation for periods of two or three months at a time.

THE OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENT. Morning by morning, and twice a week n the afternooms, a very motley company assembles in the Out-Patient room ._ repre-

delays may occur in the actual clinique: and on the arrival of the medical officer on duty he is assisted by three students, who act as interpreter, clerk, and dresser respec-The work is conducted as follows :-

Monday, at 10 a.m. for General Discusor. Thomson. at 10 a.m. for General at 5 p.m. for Eye Wednesday, at 10 a.m. for General Thursday, at 10 a.m. for General at 10 a.m. for General at 5 p.m. for Eye Saturday, at 10 a.m. for General

And of Return Visits ... 9,159, Showing a Total of ... These have been distributed over the at all hours. vear sa follows :--, August March 1168 September ., October November -, December

Having passed under due examination by the consultant, the large majority of the patients either carry their papers to the duty, and there receive all needed medicines. free of charge : or enter a small room for surgical dressing adjoining the consultation room, where they are similarly attended to. as their cases may demand. Such cases as have need of, and are suitable for hospital treatment, it may be one or two it may very infinitesimal. But we need not dis. there was never any delay in supplying be half-a-dozen-are passed directly to the ouss at the present moment a problematic the necessary wood, and that the wards, and none such are refused admis-

THE IN-PATIENT DEPARTMENT. As has already, been said, admission to tention, and to patients bearing notes of ands of the Hospital's existence. introduction from subscribers to the funds (for the convenience of whom admission cards may be had on application at the Hospital), the doors are open at all hours of the day and night. Ten cents a day is paid to the Food Contractor on account of each patient in the wards, and such as can do so are expected to refund this, as well as pay for any extras, such as nilk. &c. but, as a matter of fact, on an average

bedding, attendance, &c. The five wards with their ninety beds are

three-fourths of the patients are always

non-paying. No charge whatever is made

for medicines, clothing during residence.

distributed as under :-Number of Name Number of 19 Operthalmic Dr. Cantlie. 19 Surgical The work done may be thus tabulated:-Patients remaining in Hospital on 1st January, 1890 Patients admitted to Hospital during

the year 1890 ... Total number treated as in Patients,... 77 Of these there were:--Discharged Cured Discharged Relieved

Discharged on other Grounds 60 Died in Hospital

1st January, 1891 Note.—'On other grounds' includes ment, cases tound incurable, patients who

Only 22 deaths occurred during the year, representing the very small proportion of 3 of these were already practically hopeless at

216 operations, all, or nearly all, under the influence of an ansethetic, have been performed during 1890, and if 121 dental

In the above figures no account is taken operations, such as opening of abscesses. cations and of fractured bones, removal of nasal polypi and other small tumours. &c., performed daily to the Out-Patient Department by the visiting medical officers, house surgeon, and the senior students Probably no part of the baneficent work of the Rospital would appeal more powerto come to some arrangement in regard to of the operation room, were it not that the witnessed, as a general rule, by any but doctors are present in addition to the any assistance that may be required; the Dr Chung, the resident House Surgeon, house surgeon, a skilful and experienced gently conveyed back to his own hed. In

. THE EVANGELISTIC WORK.

Results of the evangelistic effort carried on in the Hospital it is neither possible nor desirable to attempt to estimate. Suffice it, that the Hospital is a centre whence light and truth are spreading, not less than it is a centre of life and healing to the Chinese and others who in such numbers share its benefits. Daily the Scriptures are expounded in

cliniques, in addition to personal conversa. where their reception was most hostile and tional work among the out-patients : while systematic work by the bedside is carried on in the wards. That in the female ward is | The police eventually dispersed the comunder the direction of Miss Field, who batants, spends part of every day in the Hospital. and is assisted by Mrs Kwan, the matron. and by Bible women. The avangelistic effort in the out-patient room and in the male wards is under the guidance and direct supervision of the ordained native paster, the Rev. Wong Yuk Ch'o, while an evangelist, named Kong Hoi Kei, devotes London, March 10th, moon. -- Concret his whole time to this work, and several Edwards has read a paper at the Colonial volunteer workers share in it. Just at the Institute, in which he urged Parliament to close of the year, the London Missionary | maintain the strength of our navy to as to Society appointed a second evangelist, a enable Great Britain to take the offensive proved man, called Ch'an Sit Hing, to in time of war. He also advocated the devote himself to the Hospital, but the holding of an imperial convention to conschemes for his usefulness will be better sider a plan of defence for the empire. described in the Report for 1892, when it Lord Brassey and several generals who is to be hoped they will to some extent were present supported the speaker. have been realized.

sions are in Hospital, their respective 17.515 spiritual teachers have free access to them

In o nelading my Report, I have, for myself and my co-workers, to renew our 1524 | warmest thanks to all those in the Colony and elsewhere whose generous contributions have enabled us to carry through the work of another year so successfully, and with such freedom from financial anxieties. On Paris-The beneficence of our aupporters has allowed as to throw our doors more widely Credits, 4 months sight, open than ever in the past to the sick poor. On Berlinwho in their own homes, and but for the Dispensary, where three students are on Hospital's existence, must have been left | On New Yorkto suffer or die; and to all who have shared n the maintenance of the institution during the year it must be a source of satis- On Bombayfaction to know of such a vast amount of inffering alleviated and life saved, as is represented by the facts and figures set Ou-Calcutta-

forth in the foregoing pages. Our thanks are also due to Maestro Cattaneo and his pupil for the Concert | On Shanghai -they gave, with such marked success, on | On demand, 712 behalf of the Hospital's funds ; to a Parsee,

His Lordship said he could not believe The material generally used is calf lymph, Authorities, for frequent gifts of conthe plaintiff's story in face of the evidence supplied by the Colonial Government, but fiscated goods, including fowls, fish, Hongkong Hotel, for a further gift of old linen, including sheets, table cloths, table napking, &c., which have been of very great service to us; to Dr. Jordan, for the the wards is usually through the out- gift of a large number of pot plants to patient consultation room, and, to such improve and brighten the Hospital's gencases as the consultant for the day has eral appearance; to Dr. Cantlie, for an judged needful, is immediate, without pay- Allen's Surgical Pump; to A. Seth, Esq. ment or promise of money, and without the for a gift of instruments; to Mrs. Wade influence or intervention of patronage. Gardiner, for a gift of brandy for dis-Need of in-treatment is the sole criterion. | nenservine ; and to the many other friends To cases of accident, to cases of soute who in one way and another have aided us disease requiring argent and immediate at. In the course of the past year to realize the

> JOHN C. THOMSON. M.A., M.B., O.M., Medical Missionary Superintendent.

> > CRICKET.

EMPRESS OF INDIA " U. SINGAPORE C. C. A match between a team representing the Empress of India and the Singapore Cricket Club was played at Singapore, resulting in defeat to the visitors. Full scores are not given in the papers received by the

mail, but the following particulars are from the Straits Times :---E. Rodriguez c. Higginboth im b. Hinde 14 W. S. Sidney b. Hinde 1 G. H. Woodbridge c. Cook b. Hinde ... 10; A. Blain b. McKenzie C. Hulton c. Gabugan b. McKenzie ... 6 Capt. Marshall st. Talbot b. Hinds ... 14 M. Gray c, and b. McKetizie (Eye cases). G. H. Wood c. McKenzielb Hinde M. L. Rathbone b. Hindo

F. Stephenson b. Hinde... R. Cecil not out

C. E. Higginbotham l.b.w. b. Sidney ... A. A. Lloyd c. Gray b. Sidney ... Dr Hinde c. and b. Woodbridge J. Cook l.b.w. b. Rodriguez ... C. Logan c. Blair b. Sidney R. McKenzie b. Woodbridge ... Dr Smith not out A. Coveney l.b.w. b. Sydney A. J. Ross...

3.10 p.m. -Total for 5 wickets

A. Y. Gabagan

At 3.40 p.m., our reporter telephoned, at S. C. C. all out for 108. The S. C. C. thus won by 44.

LATE TELEGRAMS. Cairo, 4th March,-The Soudan force lately operating against Tokar has been dispersed. A garrison of fifteen hundred will remain at Afatte with a detachment at El Tob fort and Trenketat. The whole will be designated the Tokar sub-district and to under the command of Major G. W ..

Hockett Party. Civil Government has been formed under a native Governor. London, 6th March .- A financial panie has taken place at Buenos Ayres, where the Government have issued a decree closing the Bolsa banks and customs for two days, owing to a run on the provincial bank, Although Lord Salisbury is most anxious

South Africa, Portugal refuses the British conditions and a settlement is therefore considered to be improbable. . Ottawa, 6th March. - The Canadian elections have been finished. Several Ministers have been defeated. Washington, 6th March.-The Treasury

s taxing exported gold bare, and if thus fails to stop the efflux it may refuse to exchange bars for shipment. The Treasury has bought 276,000 ounces of silver at 98.25 to 98.35. London, 7th March.-A resolution

brought forward in the House of Commons by Mr Clark, member for Caithness, in favour of separate legislatures for England, Scotland, Ireland, and Wales, collapsed on the House being counted out.

General Booth, head of the Salvation Army, is confined to bed by a serious chill. London, 8th March.-Mr Gerald Portal has been appointed to succeed Col. Euan Smith at Zanzibar.

The miners of all Earl Londonderry's

pollieries have struck work as a protest against the Silkwoorth evictions. Six thousand are on strike. The financial panic in the Argentine Republic is over, and a popular loan is being

arranged, to assist Government, business will be resumed to morrow. Suckia 8th March -- A great meeting of Sheikha has taken place here, at which General Granfell read a telegram received from the Khedive decreeing a general amnesty. The clemency of the Khedive has been the

subject of great rejoicing here. London, March 9th. - Mesars John O'Connor, James O'Kelly, William Redmond and James Harrison sailed yesterconnection with each of the out patient | day for New York from Queenstown, a conflict between their supporters and those of Mr Justin MacCarthy took place.

> Buenes Ayres, March 8th .- A decree has been issued by the Argentine Government ausnending payments by the Banks for three days during subscription to the national loan. Paris, March 9th.—Prince Jerome Napo

Exchange. Hongkong, March 25. On London— 30 daya' sight. 4 months sight, 3/2 Oredita, 4 Documentary, 4 months sight, 3/22 On demand. On demand, ... On demand. Credits, 60 days' sight, On demand On demand, ... 2201 30 days sight, private paper, 726

reading of this Bill. He explained that in a week from the completion of the con. Department is Vaccination, conducted on handsome framed portrait of the late Dr. Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)\$ 6.26

ROWDYISM AT CHINKIANG. (V. C. Lally News' Correspondent.)

out of six Manchu roughs who have for mise, nor wherein it is likely in the fature some time past been behaving in a very to fail to accomplish that desirable end. disorderly manner, and for whom a warrant of arrest had been issued by the magistrate, were seized and carried to jail with their friends. They made a netermined resistance, and not until suldiers came to help could the arrest be effected. The next day under a strong guard of about thirty men the culprits were carried into the city to the magistrate's yamên. This official conferred with the Tartar General and the five men were given thousand blows each with the bamboo. Meanwhile the friends of the prisoners; to the number of about three hundred, had assembled at the city temple (域隍廟 vowing vengeance on the hier and tutung. prior to the 31st DAY OF MARCH INSTANT, On the 13th they proceeded to the yamen will be adjusted by the Orrice, and no of the General, wrecked the wall and part Claims or Alterations will be subsequently of the premises, and put the city in an admitted. uproar. The magistrate fled with his family to the Taot ai's yamen, where two hundred regular troops from Packaighan were sent to protect bin against the fury of the Manchus, who threatened his life. The 'strained relations' between the Chinese and Tarture was relieved by the arrival from Nanking on Monday of several liang of troops. I have been CPECIAL BLEND informed that the rascals who caused the riot (the Chinese call it 旗人反造) have been kept in costody, notwith trading the Of unsurpassed body and exquisite and attempt made to rescue them, but the leader of the party has never been caught. On the person of one of the band a secret society flag was found, but H.B.M. Consul, Mr Carles, to whose courtesy I am indebted for most of these facts, thinks that his carrying it was mere braggadocio. The Chinese, however, say that there are a large number of the Ko Lao Hui among the Tartars in the city. Great indignation is felt among the law-abiding people against the Tah-tz, as the Manchus are dubbed, and no surprise would be felt if the natives drove them from the city. They maltreat the people. They ride at breakneck speed through the streets to the imminent danger of little children, though this fact must be tempored by another one, namely that the

officials,' affirmed another.

the same thing. 'Who killed your goat !

THE M'KINLEY TARIFF. The following sections of the McKinley Bill will interest shippers from China to the United States :-

Sect. 6. That on and after the first day | Ovalities only are kept. of March, eighteen hundred, and ninetyone, all articles of foreign manufacture, such as are usually or ordinarily marked, stamped, branded, or labelled, and all packages containing such or other imported articles, shall, respectively, be plainly marked, stamped, branded, or labelled in legible English words, so as to indicate the country of their origin; and unless so marked, stamped, branded, or labelled, they shall not be admitted to entry. Sect. 7 .- That on and after March first,

eighteen hundred and ninety-one, no article of imported merchandise which shall copy or simulate the name or trade-mark of any domestic manufacture or manufacturer, shall be admitted to entry at any custom-house in the United States. in order to aid the officers of the customs in enforcing this prohibition, any domestic manufacturer who has adopted trade-marks may require his name and residence and a description of his trade- Hon. J. J. KESWICK, marks to be recorded in books which shall be kept for that purpose in the Department | How, C. P. CHATER, of the Treasury under such regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe, and may furnish to the Department facsimiles of trade-marks; and thereupon the Secretary of the Treasury shall cause one or more copies of the same to be transmitted to each collector or other proper

officer of the customs. Under Section 6 it will be necessary that all cases or packages containing manufactured articles, before being admitted to entry, bear stencilled or otherwise branded the name of the country in which manufactures were made. Failing strict compliance with the Act it is possible detentions, confiscations, or return of the goods may be necessary.

SILVER COINAGE. THE HOUSE COMMITTEE'S REPORT ON THE

UBJECT. Washington, February 22.-The adverse report of the majority of the House Coinage bill says, in part : Under the present act \$51,000,000 annually are being Central. added to the volume of the currency of the country in the form of treasury notes for bullion purchased. This largely exceeds contraction in the way of the retirement of bank notes, and in ten years would, at the same rate, gradually add to the volume of currency, above the amount of bank notes, should they be all retired, \$360,000,000. The Secretary of the Treasury states that the amount of surplus of silver in the world above the amount used in arts and coinage in all other countries than the United States was, for 1888, 39,000,000 ounces. I this estimate is correct, under the present law there is provision for using the world's surplus, which is all that unlimited coinage could accomplish. It is said, however, that the demand of the present law does not call for all the ailver surplus. but only sufficient to keep down the silver surplus, and that there are now 'hearing' the market 15,000,000 ounces, which are sufficient to keep down the prices of silver to its present selling figure. Whether these 15,000,000 ounces are

likely to remain a threat to the market or whether they are used by designing persons as a temporary means to depress the price, is a matter upon which intelligent persons who have appeared before the committee differ. This can be determined by the continuance of the present policy of buying more than the 4,500,000 ounces monthly provided for by the existing laws. Our be obtained from KELLY & WALKS If the presence of 15,00,000 ounces is con- at Shanghal and Hongkong, at LANE, tinued only for the purpose of effecting Chawford & Co., Hongkong, and at the some change in legislation it will soon be China Mail Office. permitted to go its way. If, on the other hand, it is in actual excess over the demand, it will be easy at any time for Congress to provide for its absorption into the

Treasury notes issued under the present law are legal tender. This is the highest function that could be given silver under Crew of the following Vessels, during free coinage. So that, under the existing their stay in Hongkong Harbour: law, we have provision for the use of all the silver that would be brought to the mints under free coinage (assuming the world's Geo. A. Nichols-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

aurplus to be as already stated) The money issued has all the legal qualities and purchasing power of coined money, and, in addition, is confined practically to the American product, so the United States is out of all danger, so strenuously insisted upon by many persons, of the flooding of our market with the silver of the world. The present law, at the time of its passage, A. Mittis. - David Sassoon, Sons & Co. was declared by many ardent apporters of free coinage to be satisfactory. The conditions are substantially the same as then. If the present law, when passed, promised to all intents and purposes the use of the

American product and authorized the lasue of money as good for all purposes as coined Much excitoment has been created here silver, it is not now evident to the comamong the Chinese since the 11th. Five mittee wherein it has failed in that pro-

Intimations.

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Emptess of Japan	Tuesday	June 2nd.

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Notices to Consignees.

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FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, JEDDAH, BUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HODEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, PENANG & SINGAPORE.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CHINA FITHE S.S. Melpomene having arrived, will be despatched for SAN-FRAN- Consignees of Cargo are hereby in-CISCO, vid YOKOHAMA, on THURS formed that their Goods, with the ex-DAY, the 2nd April, at 1 p.m., taking coption of Oplum, are being landed Passengers and Freight for Japan, the at their risk into the Godowns known 24 THE HONGKONG WHARF AND GODOWNS. Through Bills of Lading issued for trans- Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained. Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to de so.

This Vessel brings on Cargo :-From TRIESTE, ox 8.4. Imperatrix, trace shipped at BOMBAY. From CALCUTTA, OX No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned DEFORE NOON. ON THE 28TH INST., OR THEY WILL

the 28th Instant will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSUON, SONS & Cd., Agents. Hongkong, March 23, 1891.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

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S.S. EMPRESS OF INDIA, FROM LIVERPOOL, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of Freight will be received on board until 4 the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Com-PANY, at Kowloon, whence and or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before cognized." Neon To-Morrow. No Claims will be admitted after the destined to points beyond San Francisco, Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods will be subject to rent.

All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 30th Instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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THE S.S. Aglaia, Capt. E. Christiansen. L thaving arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

otice to the contrary be given before To-MORROW, the 20th Instant, at Noon. Any Cargo impeding her discharge wil be landed into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG, KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., Land, and stored at Consigness' risk and No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelisted after the 26th Inst. will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 26th Inst., at 4 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & Co.,

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STEAMSHIP BRECONSHIRE,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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